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ABSTRACT PURPOSE: To reduce the generation of hydrogen gas in
an alkaline storage battery by covering the surface
of a negative electrode active material made of
active metal with vinyl polymer film and using the
active material with the electrolyte of a caustic
alkaline aqueous solution to obtain the negative
electrode black mix.
CONSTITUTION: The negative electrode black mix in a
sealed alkaline storage battery is formed by using a
negative electrode active material made of active
metal such as zinc and the electrolyte of a caustic
alkaline aqueous solution as the essential
components. In this case, the surface of the negative
electrode active material is covered with the vinyl
polymer film whose monomer unit is indicated by an
expression $(CH_{(sub 2)}=CR^{(sup 1)}R^{(sup 2)})$, ($R^{(sup 1)}$
and $R^{(sup 2)}$ are selected from a hydrogen atom,
halogen element, nitrile group, etc.) at a thickness
of 0.01 to 70. μ m. As a result, since the film
functions as a protective coat against the caustic
alkaline aqueous solution and the dissolution of the
negative electrode active material is suppressed, the
generation of hydrogen gas can be reduced without
mercury and such.